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Sedgwick County Emergency Exercise to Take Place

(Sedgwick County, Kansas) – Sedgwick County will conduct an emergency exercise on Wednesday, September 10 at the Kansas Coliseum from at 8 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. This exercise will include first responders from various local agencies, including Sedgwick County Emergency Management, EMS, Fire, and the Metropolitan Medical Response System (MMRS). This exercise is being held to test the readiness of the various departments and agencies in a "real" emergency environment.

"We have been preparing and planning in case of a terrorist attack in our community since before 9/11/01," said Sedgwick County Commission Chairman Tim Norton. "This exercise is our chance to continue to test our preparedness and to find the areas we need to improve on if a real situation were to occur."

Media that plan to attend are asked to use the Kansas Coliseum's South entrance off of Hydraulic.

For more information on this exercise, contact Kristi Zukovich at 660-9370.

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